

Construction, in solicitations and contracts for construction that will include the clause at 52.222-26, Equal Opportunity, and the amount of the contract is expected to be in excess of \$10,000.

(g) The contracting officer shall insert the clause at 52.222-28, Equal Opportunity Preaward Clearance of Subcontracts, in solicitations and contracts, except for construction, when the amount of the contract is expected to be for \$1 million or more and the contract includes the clause prescribed in paragraph (a), (b), or (c) of 44.204.

(h) The contracting officer shall insert the clause at 52.222-29, Notification of Visa Denial, in contracts that will include the clause at 52.222-26, Equal Opportunity, if the contractor is required to perform in or on behalf of a foreign country.

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Subpart 22.9—Nondiscrimination Because of Age

22.901 Policy.

Executive Order 11141, February 12, 1964 (29 FR 2477), states that the Government policy is as follows:

(a) Contractors and subcontractors shall not, in connection with employment, advancement, or discharge of employees, or the terms, conditions, or privileges of their employment, discriminate against persons because of their age except upon the basis of a bona fide occupational qualification, retirement plan, or statutory requirement.

(b) Contractors and subcontractors, or persons acting on their behalf, shall not specify in solicitations or advertisements for employees to work on Government contracts, a maximum age limit for employment unless the specified maximum age limit is based upon a bona fide occupational qualification, retirement plan, or statutory requirement.

(c) Agencies will bring this policy to the attention of contractors. The use of contract clauses is not required.

22.902 Handling complaints.

Agencies shall bring complaints regarding a contractor's compliance with this policy to that contractor's attention (in writing, if appropriate), stating the policy, indicating that the contractor's compliance has been questioned, and requesting that the contractor take any appropriate steps that may be necessary to comply.

Subpart 22.10—Service Contract Act of 1965, as Amended

SOURCE: 54 FR 19816, May 8, 1989, unless otherwise noted.

22.1000 Scope of subpart.

This subpart prescribes policies and procedures implementing the provisions of the Service Contract Act of 1965, as amended (41 U.S.C. 351, *et seq.*), the applicable provisions of the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938, as amended (29 U.S.C. 201, *et seq.*), and related Secretary of Labor regulations and instructions (29 CFR parts 4, 6, 8, and 1925).

22.1001 Definitions.

Act or Service Contract Act, as used in this subpart, means the Service Contract Act of 1965, as amended.

Agency labor advisor means an individual responsible for advising contracting agency officials on Federal contract labor matters.

Contractor, as used in this subpart, includes a subcontractor at any tier whose subcontract is subject to the provisions of the Act.

Multiple year contracts, as used in this subpart, means contracts having a term of more than 1 year regardless of fiscal year funding. The term includes multi-year contracts (see 17.103).

Notice, as used in this subpart, means Standard Form (SF) 98, *Notice of Intention to Make a Service Contract and Response to Notice*, and SF 98a *Attachment A*. The term *Notice* is always capitalized in this subpart when it means Standard Forms 98 and 98a.

Service contract, as used in this subpart, means any Government contract, the principal purpose of which is to furnish services in the United States through the use of service employees, except as exempted under section 7 of